HOUSE OF ORCHIDS

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We have sent this list to you in accordance with your request, and we hope you may find something to interest you.

No one in business can exist unless costs are eventually added to the price paid by the customer. We have many requests for colored catalogues, but they are not only costly but missleading. Few are true to color. Our advertising is kept to a minimum as we do not feel justified in charging fees for false claims in full page ads. You too have to pay for this in cost of plants.

Our speciality has been the species, as we forsaw the day they would become scarce. Many countries have placed an embargo on the collecting of these plants, and we are now being forced to raise from seed the same plants we once imported from the wilds. Fortunately, we have some available and the price has not changed; although, we may have to refuse orders for more than one of each kind so as to be fair to the next fellow.

This list supercedes all others and is effective immediately.

We welcome visitors every day except Thursday. If you are in the vicinity, drop in. You are not obligated to buy.

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## CALANTHE

Mc Williams Winter-Spring \$ 4.
Spray, up to 35 flowers, white with red lip.
Dormant, mammoth bulbs.

### CATTLEYA

This genus is the most popular of all orchids. They include beauty with usefullness, and are included with the intermediate varieties growing at a temperature of 60° to 65°.

Bowringiana Brazil October \$5.-7.50 Rose purple, in clusters of 5 to 15 flowers, darker on the lip.

Gigas Warm Colombia Summer \$8.-15.

Rose sepals and petals, lip crimson purple with gold markings in the throat. The largest of the species.

Mendelii Colombia Summer \$ 5.-20. Variable. White to pale purple sepals and petals with magenta or purple lip.

Mossiae Venezuela Spring \$ 7.50-15.
Flowers larger, variable. Rose with crimson lip,
yellow markings.

Percivaliana Venezuela Dec. - Jan. \$ 5.-7.50

Dark sepals and petals, very dark lip.

Chysis Intermediate Spring \$ 7.50-10.

Bractescens. Star shape, white with yellow lip, four or more flowers to a stem, heavy substance.

### CYMBIDIUM

Cool

Alexanderae x Ceres Pamela x Ceres Ceros x Solon

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Gillian Yellow Hanner Elaine Miles

During the late spring, we will have many divisions of these and other varieties, both as dormant bulbs and established in 4" pots. We also have a large group of 6" plants, identified only as to color, as they are from a private collection and the names were lost.

6" established named plants 4" established named plants 2 to 3 bulb named plants

\$15. \$ 7.50 \$ 5.

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Harefield Hall, large insignae type \$ 5. \$ 7.50-10. Aureum Surprise, handsome yellow and white hybrid \$10. \$ 5. Venustum, purple and green St. Albans, red hybrid D\_NDROBIUM Intermediate Merlin Spring \$ 7.50-15. Large flower of white and rose with deep purple blotch in the lip. A good hybrid of the Nobile type. Spring Similar to Merlin above, but flowers are smaller, and hardly two plants are alike. Fall Formosum \$ 5.-7.50 White, spade lip with orange-yellow stain. Phalaenopsis \$ 7.50-15. Varies from dark to light purple EPIDLUDRUM Intermediate Cochlioda \$ 5. The shell orchid. \$ 5.-10. Green sepals and petals, large white lip. Barly summer \$ 5.-7.50 Prismatocarpum Chartruse & chestnut brown bars on petals. Fine spray. Atropurpureum \$ 7.50 Dark purple sepal and petal with purple lip. Flowers about 11/2". Long lasting. LYCASTA cool Aromatica Winter Golden yellow flowers of good substance. Fragrant. Lasting. LABLIA Intermediate to cool Fall Flowers 3" to 4". Rose with deep purple lip, variable Anceps alba \$15.-25. Pure white, black veins in throat. ODONTOGLOSSUM Cool Pulchellum Spring \$ 5.-7.50 Small pure white flowers with touch of yellow in labellum. Looks like an inverted white viola. Long lasting. Summer Citrosmum Lovely pendant spray of pinkish-purple flowers. About 2"across. ONCIDIUM Intermediate Spring & Summer \$ 5. Small spray of yellow flowers barred with chestnut brown.

Small flowers with chestnut brown sepals and petals barred with yellow, lip golden yellow.

Splendidum

Winter \$5.-7.

Sphacelatum

Splendidum Winter \$ 5.-7.50

Erect stems with large yellow flowers, petals barred with chestnut brown, large flat lip.

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Cebollita

Sprays of many small yellow and tag flowers.

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VANDA

Intermediate

Coerulae: Various \$ 10.-15.
The famous "Blue Orchid". It needs lots of light and cool temperature.

Tricolor Java Various \$10.

Sprays of large yellow flowers spotted with purple, purple lip, long lasting.

Specimen plants 2½ - 3 feet

\$35.

Suavis \$10.

Similar to Vanda Tricolor of which it is a variety. Flower background is white.

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# FLOWERING SIZEDPLANTS FOR BEGINNERS Selected for Easy Culture

Many customers have availed themselves of our offer of plants for beginners, and we have varied our collections from time to time. We will also work out any selection to meet your growing conditions. We offer the following as a suggestion. They will give a long period of bloom depending upon the number of plants purchased.

## Selection #1

1	white cattleya hybrid purple cattleya hybrid cypripedium	\$10. 7.50 4.	Special	\$17.50
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		Selection	#3	
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1	white cattleya hybrid purple cattleya hybrid cymbidium hybrid, 4" pot	\$10. 7.50 5.	Special	\$20.
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During the past ten years we have purchased numerous private and commercial collections. As we take the entire collection, we usually acquire many types that are of interest to collectors. There are botanicals, oncidiums, odontoglossums, and numerous others. If interested, write us. We might have the one plant for which you are looking.

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\$7.50 each 200 purple hybrids, labeled, have flowered 10 plants \$72.50 each 25 plants \$125.00

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Medium sepals and petals with extra dark lip. \$ 35. C. Leda \$ 25. Extra Dark Almost as dark as the photo of Ruby in White's book. Small flower. Christmas flowering.

Lc. Queen Mary var Stonehurst
Medium dark. Dark lip.

Bc. Dunsford \*\*
Fine dark, full rounded flower, but hard to bloom.

#69 Souv. Louis sander x C. Snowdon \*\*
Our finest white. Heavy substance and large flower.
Will flower about every 8 to 9 months with us.
NOT AVAILABLE TO COMMERCIAL GROWERS.

C. Green Gold \*\*

Shades from yellow to dark chartruse with red lip and gold eyes in throat.

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We give no warranty, expressed or implied, as to the expectancy of production of any of the plants we sell; and we will not be responsible for the crop.

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